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In re the Application of

Peter HAWKINS et al.

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For:

MAGNETIC PARTICLE DETECTION

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired July 5, 2005, an extension of time for a period of one month is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 169358 in the amount of \$120.00 in payment for: X Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$120.00) Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$450.00) Extension fee for response within third or subsequent month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$1020.00)

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